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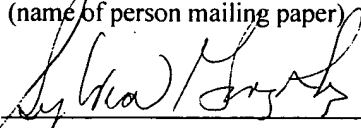
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants submit herewith an English translation of the reference listed below. The French language version of this reference was previously cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed on January 23, 2002, in this application. This reference may be material to the patentability of this application and with respect to which there may be a duty to disclose in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56.

While the reference may be "material" under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, it is not intended to constitute an admission that the reference is "prior art" unless specifically designated as such.

The filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement shall not be construed as a representation that no material references other than those listed exist or that a search has been conducted.

The reference is listed in Form PTO-1449 which is in accordance with the requirements of M.P.E.P. 609. The reference is as follows:

1. English translation of "Iapichino et al "L'usage de l'insulin comme agent anabolisant doit-il être préconisé chez le sujet dénutri ou agressé" Nutr. Clin. Metabol. Vol. 10, pgs. 243-252

It is respectfully requested that this reference be considered by the Patent and Trademark Office in its examination of the above-identified application and be made of record therein. The Examiner is also invited to contact the Undersigned if there are any questions concerning this paper or the attached references.

It is believed that no fee is due for submission and entry of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement as it is prior to the first Office Action on the merits and provides an English language translation of a reference previously submitted in the Information Disclosure Statement submitted on January 23, 2002 in this application.

It is determined that a fee is due for entry and consideration of the Supplemental Information Statement, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 14-1447.

Respectfully submitted,

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